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Salt Water Release Reported in Bowman County

BISMARCK, N.D. – The North Dakota Department of Health has been notified and is monitoring a salt water release approximately 9.5 miles south of Marmarth, N.D. in Bowman County.

According to the report, approximately 50 barrels of salt water used to inject into oil producing formations were released from the site and was flowing into a nearby stream, identified as Kid Creek. The salt water has since been contained.

The release was reported by Denbury Onshore, LLC. The North Dakota Department of Health has inspectors at the site and will be doing testing upstream and downstream to assess the environmental impact.

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